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TWO (2) CERTIFICATES for 17 SHARES Numbered 4,981/4,998, and 5,000 standing in the Register of this Company in the name of James Patterson having been LOST, Notice is hereby given that Two Duplicate Certificates for the said 17 Shares will be issued ONE (1) Month hence, and that the Original Certificates unless produced within that Period will thereby be held by the Company as Null and Void.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, March 17, 1899. 670

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED
NOTICE
MR. GEO. L. TOMLIN has been appointed Secretary to the Company from this Date.

H. L. DALRYMPLE,
Chairman.
Hongkong, March 22, 1899. 724

NOTICE
MR. FRANCIS MATTIAND is Admitted a PARTNER in Our Firm from 1st April, 1899.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS.
Hongkong, March 30, 1899. 811

NOTICE
MR. HANS KOCK has been Authorized to SIGN OUR FIRM per Procuration from this Date.

B. DECKER & CO.
Hongkong, 1st April, 1899. 821

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Hongkong, April 4, 1899. 844

THE MUTUAL STORE
MR. H. J. GLENDE has this day been appointed Manager and is authorized to Sign for the Firm. All cheques are to be made PAYABLE to the Mutual Store and must be countersigned by the SIGNING OFFICER, MR. LIVINGSTONE, before payment is made.

Hongkong, 29th March, 1899. 799

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SHANGHAI, N'SAKI, KORE & YMA, Japan, etc.	CHALLENGER, R.N.E.	About 10th April	
N'SAKI, KORE, & YOKOHAMA, etc.	W. H. HAUGHTON, R.N.E.	About 10th April	
SHANGHAI, etc.	F. N. TILMAN, R.N.E.	About 14th April	
LONDON, & etc.	S. BACHAM, R.N.E.	Noon, 15th April	
N'SAKI, KORE, & YOKOHAMA, etc.	S. DE B. LOCKYER, R.N.E.	Noon, 19th April	

* For Freight (only). + See Special Advertisement.
For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 4, 1899. 874

Burgundies.			
	1 doz. Bottles	2 doz. Bottles	
BEAUNE VOLNAY	\$19.00	\$21.00	
POMMARD	27.00		
CHAMBERTIN	34.00		
SPARKLING RED	26.00	28.00	
Do. WHITE	26.00	28.00	

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LAUBENHEIMER	\$11.00	\$13.00	
ORAACHER	12.00	14.00	
NIEBSTEINER	13.00	15.00	
LIEBFRUMILCH	18.00		
CALIFORNIA RIESLING	6.00	7.00	
Do. HOCK	6.00	7.00	

White Wines.			
	1 doz. Bottles	2 doz. Bottles	
GRAVES	\$1.00	\$3.00	
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SAUTERNE	7.00	8.00	
Do. Superior	4.00	10.00	
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Nos. 20, 161-20, 180.	21,381-21,480.
22,641-22,650.	22,731-22,732.
22,733-22,737.	22,923-22,927.
23,304-23,403.	23,425-23,494.
23,965-23,984.	23,934-23,935.
23,936-23,940.	23,941-23,952.
23,953-23,952.	24,384-24,483.
47,922-48,021.	50,273-50,286.
55,018-55,042.	55,070-55,073.
55,463.	55,444-55,493.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, March 25, 1899. 780

NOTICE
WE Have This Day Admitted Mr. EDWARD SHELLIM, a PARTNER in Our Firm in Hongkong. Mr. A. HOWARD has been Authorized to SIGN OUR FIRM per Procuration from this Date.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, March 31, 1899. 812

NOTICE
WE Have REMOVED to OFFICES on the FIRST FLOOR of QUEEN'S BUILDING, NEW PRAYA (FEDER'S WHARF CORNER).

DODWELL & Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, April 4, 1899. 843

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THE SHAKANO AND THE KATSUNO.
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TANIGUCHI, KATO & Co.,
or their Local Agents,
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Hongkong, April 1, 1899. 829

GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO., LTD.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 12th April, at Noon, at the Offices of the Company, 7 Queen's Road, Central, when the subjoined Special Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 28th March, 1899, will be submitted for confirmation:

"That the Capital of the Company be increased to \$500,000 by the creation of 10,000 Ordinary Shares of \$5.00 each, and 70,000 Preference Shares of \$1.00 each; such shares to be issued at the discretion of the Directors, provided that they shall be offered in the first instance to the existing shareholders in proportion to the amount of the capital held by them at the time of such issue.

"The Holders of the said Preference Shares shall be entitled to a cumulative preferential Dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

"Whenever the profits of the Company in respect of any year shall be more than sufficient to pay the preferential dividend aforesaid to the close of such year, and also a dividend for such year at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary Shares, the holders of the said Preference Shares shall be entitled to participate in the surplus profits payable to the holders of the other Shares.

"In the event of the winding up of the Company, the holders of the said Preference Shares shall be entitled to have the surplus assets of the Company applied in the first case in repaying to them the amount paid up on the Preference Shares held by them respectively, and the residue of such surplus assets shall, subject to the rights of members entitled to shares issued upon special conditions as hereinafter provided, belong to and be divided among the Ordinary Shareholders of the Company, and if there shall be more than sufficient to pay the amount paid up on the Ordinary Shares, such surplus (if any) shall be divisible between the holders of the Preference Shares and the Ordinary Shares rateably.

LUTGENS, EISENMANN & Co.,
Hongkong, March 29, 1899. 797

Entertainment.

AN ORGAN RECITAL.

Will be given

MR. A. O. WARD,

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St. John's Cathedral,

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MONDAY, April 10th,

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Vocalists—**Mrs. YARRING,**

Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 855

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will Sell, by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

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Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 846

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Issued 3,191 Shares of \$50 each, fully paid up.

THE Directors are prepared to receive offers for the above Shares, which remain unsold.

Applicants should state the Price per Share, including premium, they are willing to pay, but no Shares will be allotted for less than SEVENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$75.00) per Share. Preference will be given in the allotment to those Persons who on the 10th April, 1899, are Registered as Shareholders.

The Directors do not intend themselves to accept the highest or any offer.

Forms of Application (as under) can be obtained at the Company's Office or from the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

The Applications must be sent in to the Undersigned not later than 3 o'clock p.m., on SATURDAY, the 15th April, 1899.

C. MOONEY,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1899.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

OWING to the large and continued increase of Subscribers to the **CHINA MAIL**, We are compelled to go to Press earlier. Alterations and additions to Advertisements on Pages 1 and 4, should be sent here not later than 10 a.m. New Advertisements should be sent before 4 p.m.

BAIN & REID.

Hongkong, October 1, 1898.

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Another Gigantic Success.

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W. H. BROWN,

Business Manager.

Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 881

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C. D'ARON, Director.

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MONDAY, 10th April, 1899.

GRAND PERFORMANCE, to be given by

Mlle G. VARTI, 1re Chantante d'opéra, Mlle J. LORIO, 1re Doyenne.

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Artistes des principaux Théâtres de Paris, Le Grand Succès.

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Opéra Comique en 1 acte

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Grande Polka, chantée, par

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Musique de PAUL HENRIOT.

Paola, Mlle VARTI; Pierrot, Mlle LORIO.

Reserved Seats ... 3s.

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Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 883

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'FANOFY FAIR.'

Will be Held on

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On the Lawns at

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(by kind permission of the Hon. J. J. Bell Irving).

Full particulars will be published later.

Entrance ... ONE DOLLAR.

Afternoon ... 4 to 8.30.

Evening ... 8.30 to 10.30.

Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 864

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TO RENT FOR THE SEASON.

LAW TENNIS GROUND.

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Apply, 'B. R.'

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Hongkong, April 6, 1899. 862

THE CHINESE MAIL.

華字報

(Wah Yee Yat Po)

THIS paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at \$10 Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Twelve Dollars and 40 Cents, including postage to other ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing.

The proprietors, basing their estimate upon the most reliable information from the various Presses in China and Japan, from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, consider themselves justified in guaranteeing a large and ever-increasing circulation.

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To which is now added a Report of the Case of

'PITMAN V. KESWICK'

and

AND OTHERS.

Price per Copy ... 50 CENTS.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 6.

British steamer, 1,495, W. G. McArthur, Sydney March 11, and Manila April 3, General—Gins, Lavergnon & Co.

Ship, British steamer, 845, A. Jones, Saigon April 1, Bina—BRADLEY & Co.

Tuesday, British steamer, 1,544, H. Roop, Bangkok March 31, Foonchow April 7, and Saigon & General—JANZEN, MARSH & Co.

March Jones, German steamer, 1,778, J. C. Matheson, Saigon April 3, Rice—JANZEN & Co.

Tuyo Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,822, Sakata, Saigon March 31, Rice—DOWELL & Co., Ltd.

Chungking, British steamer, 1,418, E. J. Butler, Amoy April 4, General—JANZEN, MARSH & Co.

Orestes, British steamer, 1,909, J. P. Fulford, Liverpool and Singapore March 31, General—DOWELL & Co., Ltd.

Shani Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,870, Nishiki, Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

DEPARTURES.

April 6.

Prinz Heinrich, for Shanghai.

April 8.

Irena, German steamer, for Foonchow.

Hailong, for Swatow.

Pengau, for Port Townsend.

Yuenyung, for Manila.

Kyoko Maru, for Saigon.

Chungking, for Saigon.

Dr. Huns J. Kwei, for Apia.

Manglat, for Singapore.

CLEARED.

Piccola, for Amoy.

Servia, for Yokohama.

Heilong, for Swatow.

Buerghaus, for Sui, on.

PASSENGERS.

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Flag and	Tonnage	Date of Arrival	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
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British str. April 5 Dodwell, & Co., Limited

British str.	1723	April	4	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
British str.	1199	April	1	do. do.	
British str.	1878	April	4	Butterfield & Swire	
British str.	1123	April	4	Butterfield & Swire	
British str.	1430	April	10	do. do.	
Ger. str.	324	Feb.	20	Siemssen & Co.	K'loon Dock
Amer. str.	3123	Mar.	24	Wm. S. S. Co.	April 8.
Ger. str.	375	April	1	Johsen & Co.	San Francisco
Amer. str.	1670	March	30	Doddell & Co., Limited.	
Norw. str.	921	April	5	Gro. R. Stevens & Co.	
British str.	1238	April	5	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	
Ger. str.	1001	April	5	Siemssen & Co.	
Japan. str.	2800	April	4	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Sydney, &c.
French str.	715	April	1	do. do.	April 7.
British str.	1493	April	6	Gibb, Livingstone & Co.	
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British str.	1183	April	E Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow & Foochow	April 7.
French str.	705	March 27	A. R. Marty		K'loon Dock

French str.	704	Jan.	A. L. Masty	1899 Dock
Ger. str.	668	April	J. J. John & Co.	
British str.	1437	April	Arnold, Karsberg & Co.	
British str.	1116	April	Yuen Fat Hong	
British str.	1306	April	L. David, Bassomp, Sana & Co.	Spore & Calcutta
Ger. str.	1237	April	J. Gardine, Matheson & Co.	April 8.
British str.	998	April	O. Yuen Fat Hong	
Ger. str.	1770	April	J. J. John & Co.	
Danish str.	476	Jan.	S. East Asiatic Co.	
British str.	3362	April	G. Hutterich & Söhne	
British str.	3011	Feb.	Yuen Fat Hong	Constant Dock
British str.	1012	Feb.	Yuen Fat Hong	

Ger.	str.	2390	April	8 Jensen & Co.	Yokohama J. Dock	April 11
Japan.	str.	1084	April	8 Nippon Yusen Kaisha		

British str.	823	April	1	Bradley & Co.		
Nerv. str.	738	May	21	Haring & Co.	1	Manilla
Japan. str.	1528	April	8	Doddrell & Co. Limited		April 7.
Ger. str.	1540	April	8	Shepherd & Co.		
British str.	1537	April	8	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
British str.	1153	April	1	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Ger. sh.	1292	Mar.	31	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Amer. sh.	18	0	March	23	Master	
Brit. bog.	1178	Mar.	11	Stamard Oil Co.		
Brit. sh.	1122	Jan.	25	Master		
Br. am. bk.	1437	Feb.	4	Stamard Oil Co.		
Brit. ach.	90	Mar.	21	Stamard Oil Co.		
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Stocks	No. of Shares	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
24-25.				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	90,000	125	101	271 1/2 prem. = 248 1/2 (call)
Bank of China & Japan, Limited.	30,000	50	50	100
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ordinary " "	100,000	30	30	111 1/2, buyers
deferred " "	1,000	2	2	123 1/2
" " " "	15	10 1/2	8 3/4	100, buyers

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Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000 \$	750 \$	80 \$ 142 1/2 sellers

	China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000/0	83 33/4	22,666, sellers
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	Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.	36,000/0	100 0/0	35,241, sellers
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	Yangtze Insurance Association, SHEE INSURANCE	8,000/0	100 0/0	60,120, sellers
	China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000/0	100 0/0	20,882, sellers
	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. ROCKS	8,000/0	250 0/0	60,207 1/2, sellers and buyers
335	H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd. KIAMOON	12,600/0	126 1/2	830 0/0 prem. = \$6 (bays
	China and Manilla S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000/0	50 1/2	873, ex div.
	Doings Steamship Co., Limited	90,000/0	50 1/2	1,571 1/2, sellers
	China & M. M. Steamship Soc., Ltd.	80,000/0	16 1/2	10,930

Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	20,000	2	10	all	870	
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	2	10	2	10	29.18. ex div.

ter of	Do. (new issue)	20,000 £	15 2	10 24 10	"
hour	Star Ferry Company, Ltd.	10,000 £	15 2	10 24 10	"
ter of	China Sugar Company, Limited	5,000 £	10 1/2	50	buyers
ter of	Luxon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000 £	10 1/2	50	buyers
	WHARVES.				
from	HK & Kow, Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000 £	50	100	buyers
p.m.	Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited	2,000 £	100 1/2	27 1/2	buyers
	LAND AND BUILDING.				
	Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000 £	100 1/2	50 27 1/2	buyers
p.m.	Kowloon Land and Building Com.	5,000 £	50 1/2	50 27 1/2	buyers

hour.	pany	37,000\$	10	all	29, ex div. buyers
	Humphreys Estate & Finance Co.,	12,500\$	50\$	50	50\$ ex div. sellers

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DISPENSARIES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited:	60,000	10	45	91.3

IMPORTING.		EXPORTING.	
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.....	7,000.00	10	10
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited.....	90,000.00	10	10
BRICK AND CEMENTS.			
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.....	50,000.00	10	10
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Bell's Ambroses Eastern Agency,)) Ltd.....	10,000.00	1	1
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited.....	1,500.00	10	10
Geo. Funnick & Co., Limited.....	6,000.00	10	10
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.....	6,000.00	10	10
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.....	10,000.00	10	10
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.....	6,000.00	10	10
H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.....	8,000.00	10	10

028	Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	10,000 Tls.	100 Tls.	100 Tls.	Ts
	Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weav.	10,000 Tls.	100 Tls.	100 Tls.	Ts

NEW GENERAL Ports in	ing International Cotton Manufactur- ing Co., Ltd.	100,000,000	100,000,000	50
	Leong-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	2,000,000	50
	Garmichael & Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	2,000,000	50
	Sze Chue Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	2,000,000	50
	China Provident Loan Mortgage Co., Ltd.	50,000,000	50,000,000	50
* Founder's shares				
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